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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For (title): TEMPORARY INTRALUMINAL FILTER GUIDEWIRE AND METHOD OF USE

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1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

13 Page(s) of Specification

10 Page(s) of Claims

10 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

3. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Executed by:

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4. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

5. Language

English

6. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	44	- 20 =	24 x	\$18.00	\$432.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	8	- 3 =	5 x	\$80.00	\$400.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00

Filing Fee Calculation \$1,542.00

7. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

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